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## **LISTING OF THE CLAIMS**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in application:

## **Listing of Claims:**

1. (Previously presented) A transmitting device which successively receives data, and which successively transmits the received data, comprising:

a transmitting unit performing data transmission via wireless communications; and

a control unit (i) prohibiting, when a first instruction is received, the data transmission of the received data performed by the transmitting unit, and (ii) permitting, when a second instruction is received, the data transmission having been prohibited,

wherein said transmitting unit further transmits a signal indicating that the data transmission of the received data is prohibited.

- 2. (Previously presented) The transmitting device as set forth in claim 1, wherein said control unit receives the first and second instructions from a remote control device.
- 3. (Previously presented) The transmitting device as set forth in claim 1, wherein said control unit receives said first instruction only when a predetermined instruction is received.
- 4. (Previously presented) The transmitting device as set forth in claim 1, wherein said transmitting unit further transmits a signal indicating that the data transmission of the received data is prohibited, to a device for receiving the data transmitted from the transmitting device.
  - 5. (Previously presented) A wireless communications system comprising: said transmitting device set forth in claim 1; and a receiving device for receiving the data transmitted from the transmitting device.

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6. (Previously presented) The system as set forth in claim 5, wherein:

the transmitting unit of said transmitting unit further transmits a signal indicating that the data transmission of the received data is prohibited; and

said receiving device includes a display unit for performing display based on the signal.

7. (Previously presented) A wireless communications system having a pair of a transmitting device and a receiving device each having an antenna, said system comprising:

an operation unit for enabling modification of various settings of said wireless communications system;

an operation signal receiving unit for receiving an operation signal which is an instruction from the operation unit, wherein

said operation unit generates a switching operation signal for a purpose of switching a communications status of the antenna of at least one of said transmitting device and receiving device, between a communications-enabled status and a communications-disabled status, and

said transmitting or receiving device includes a control unit for controlling the antenna to be the communications-enabled status or communications-disabled status, when the switching operation signal is received via the operation signal receiving unit; and

a communications status recognition unit for allowing recognition of whether or not said communications status of the antenna is in the communications-enabled status or in the communications-disabled status.

## 8. (Canceled)

9. (Previously presented) The wireless communications system as set forth in claim 7, wherein:

said receiving device includes (i) display unit performing a displaying operation based on a video signal received from the transmitting device, or the operation signal received from the

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operation unit, and (ii) a storage unit for storing communications status information for use in indicating the communications status on the display unit; and

when a predetermined operation signal is received via the operation signal receiving unit, said communications status recognition unit is realized by performing a control operation so that the display unit displays the communications status information having read out from the storage unit, the communications status information corresponding to the communications status of the antenna.

10. (Previously presented) The wireless communications system as set forth in claim 9, wherein:

said storage unit stores therein, in addition to the communications status information, information for use in displaying an item or a symbol related to the antenna; and

when the predetermined operation signal is received via the operation signal receiving unit, the item or the symbol related to the antenna is displayed, along with the communications status information, by superimposing the item or the symbol on the video signal being received.

11. (Previously presented) The wireless communications system as set forth in claim 7, wherein

said operation unit is operable only in an inspection process.

- 12. (Previously presented) A program for causing a computer to function as the control unit of said transmitting unit set forth in claim 1.
- 13. (Original) A computer-readable storage medium storing therein said program set forth in claim 12.

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